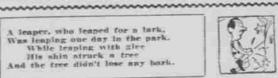
A leaper, who leaned for a lark, Was leaping one day in the park. While leaping with gire His shin airuck a tree And the tree didn't lose any bark.



The Bigger They Are The Harder They Fall; But Men Like Jess Williard Don't Prove It At All



There was a young pitcher, named Bob, Who was watching a chorus girl mob. He learned a fine curve. But be built't the serve. To try it on Speaker or Cabb.

KILBANE ONLY ONE IN CLASS OF FEATHERS

So. Cleveland Johnny is Forced To Tackle All Sorts of Odds and Ends, To Keep Public Satisfied.

I's pretty tough to be champion of a class that consider of yourself.
At least, this must be wint Johnny Kilbane thinks. for in Johnny's case the featherweight division of pugilists is very largely represented by one John Kilbane, of Cleveland, Ohio, and that just about lets the division out.

Kilbane has probably had fewer battles since he nicked off the feathery skypiece than any other king bee who has headed that division of the punch smiths.

His last battle wasn't even a battle, for George Chancy, of Baltimore, who a few months ago was conceded to be the only logical aspirant to Kilbane's crown, spent only a few minutes in the ring with the Clevelander. It was Labor Day when Chaney got his chance, but he was put to sleep in the third round when a flock of gloves with a piledriver in them connected with his lower maxillary and sent him on his way so slumberland.

So Kilbane stands alone, and in justice to him it must be said that the pugilistic world doesn't really know how good

As an all around performer in the ring Kilbane is generally conceded by fighters to be the cleverest, hard-est hitting and headiest article of his weight in the game today. As a rule boxers are a bit slow to dish ut praise for each other, but in Kilbane's case the boxing fraternity-at least the greater part of it-is willing to hand him a helping of the laurel.

Promoters here will get a chance to stage Kilbane with ANOTHER GUY FILLED HIS

Premoters here will get a chance to stage Kilbane with Freddie Welsh in the near future, for Kilbane has been forced to step out of his class to keep busy. A short time ago the managers of Welsh and Kilbane held a confab here and agreed to send the two against each other when the right offer came bobbling up. Welsh flatly refused to do better than 135 pounds at 2 colock in the afternoon for Kilbane, showing that the lightwelght champion has a wholesome reweight champion has a wholesome respect for the Forest City knuckleduster. COOPER IS VICTOR

Kilbane wanted the weight several pounds lighter, but Weish and nix, no, nny, and Kilbane had to be content.

When theme two bors slip under the ropes for a ten round fuss the fistic fams of this hustling only are going to get a real treat. Certain it is that the bout will be a breaker of speed limits—a sort of hurricane. Kilbane knows he has a wallop; he also knows that he can deliver it with the speed of a bolt of lighting, and he will make it a point to do his best to apply said wallop to the Weishian faw. Of course, Johnny will be handicapped in weight, but the match looks like a good one from where we sit, and it should be well worth the price of admission.

For the red we are number no names—
Who went crary one day
And then burried away
To see films of the world's acres games.

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What's the Matter with Baseball? Baseball is going to thuh dogs. I

vallys," said one of the fellows around

INDOOR SPORTS

WHEN A NEWSPAPER MAN LAYS OFF.

Convergitt 191º International News Service - Accretered United States . sent Office. HELLO EGGS AN YOU TOLD THE GOSS KING ENERVIEW & THAT YOU WAS SO SINGE I BLEW SICK THAT YOU COULDN'T I HEARD A GOOD YOU KNOW WHEN TEL MUSH FROM MEAT-LITTLE YALL UPTOR HE LETT THEY TWO DAYS OFF AND THOUGHT I'D HIRED A MUG BACK WAITE IT-MUSTA BEEN GOOD TO WRITE SOME ALREADY TWAT ALL STUFF TO FILL WE THOUGHT A FRAME YOU'D BE IA GUA GU THEY BUT THAT LIKETHE LAMRS IT SOON AS HE AWAY A STUFF IN TO BAD PENNY MONTH GET HIS GOAT AN THEY GOT IT. INDOOR JPORTS . KIDDING THE SCRIBE WHO LEFT ON A VACATION AND RUSHED RIGHT BACK WHEN

Better Polo By Local Teams Hereafter --||- -||-----

Local Players Lose Judge-

TRAINING PLANS

Pittsburgh Dec. 25 — Jimmy Callaian, inhanger of the Pittsburgh team is here conferring with Barney Diveyfuna in regard to spring training plans.

It is Callahan's intention to send the main body of piayers to Columbus, Ga. March II, although the catchers and pitchers will be sent south a week earlier. a considerable number of the mem-

> In the game last Sunday, which was the last game of the 17th cavalry polocournament, wherein the Pennsylvania team decisively defeated the team repesenting the 17th cavalry, a wholly different style of polo was presented by the visitors than has been played here

As one officer so aptly put it, the local players "have been practicing at too slow a game. The horses are fast enough, but the practices

By SIDNEY A. COOK. Faults in Early Games Will Be Corrected as a Result Recent Tournament.

between two frequent misses of the ball have occurred, which has made be same anything but a clever bit of lay.

From now on, it is assured that the layers will practice and learn just the player happen to be on his own side or to back stroke it were the player and proposed to the change in appearance of the service of the change in appearance of the service of the local stroke it were the player and proposed at all times.

The riders who play on the local with het there two points in mind.

pion Lost Rewards Appears To Be a Little Off Color.

West Abincton, Mass, Dec. 26-"Pure hunk," declared John L. Sullivan, the grent prizefighter by the Metropolitan. Athletic club of Columbus, Ohio, on

"I have not seen my friend Skeehan for many months, and the hast time I met him was on the streets of Hoston. Sheehan is a good fellow, but he likes publicity.

be added:

"But I didn't need any evangelist or sawdust to do it. When a man has will power enough to gut out the boozo of his own free will be will never drink again. Unless he has that will power, hitting the trail and other methods of stopping his drinking are a waste of time."

stopping his drinking are a waste of time."

The Metropolitan club was made up of Columbus citizens, who put on glove contests, according to mivices from the Columbus bureau of the International News Service.

The presentation of the medal in question took place in the old Henrietta theater since destroyed by fire. Sufficient, who had previously announced his intention of quitting the prize ring, was starring in a three-night stand in a four-act dramm entitled. The Man from Boston." Playing the part of Captain Harcourt, he put on a mimic fight in the last act with his sparring partier. Dan Dwyer.

PITT DROPS NAVY FROM SCHEDULE

any college.

Fennsylvania will be met in the annual game at Philadelphia and Syracuse will play Pitt here. The schedule

times.

With but these two points in mind, but determined to add filem to their own style of play, the local players are starting right in, and it is assured that when the next polo game is scheduled the spectators will see an altogether improved game.

Mest Virginia at Phiradelphia Cyclober 5, Bethany college at Pittsburgh; 23, Pennsylvania at Philadelphia November 2, Westminster at Pittsburgh; 10, Carnegle Tech at Pittsburgh; 17, Carnegle Tech at Pittsburgh; 18, Penn, State at Pittsburgh; 19, Pennsylva-nia at Pittsburgh; September 28, West Virginia at Pair-

will see the passing

Report That Former Cham- Crack Infielder Does Not Want To Manage World Champion Red Sox.

Should the management of the Bosto. Had Sox be tendered Jack Barry, it is questionable if he would accept. Barry is of the opinion that the tank of manformer world's champion prizefichter seine a team is almost too great a when shown a story from a New York strain to place on a man who takes pewspaper saying that Jack Sheehan, strain to place on a min who takes the Boston referee, was to return to tank the receipt and infielder in par-Sellivan a gold medal presented to the local man for a manager, and can see ticular. He recards a catcher as an how an entitlelder might handle the for without it having any III effect on his work, but he believes any infleider who bolts up his and has peetly nearly mough to do without shouldering the

Thave every medal that was ever presented mt, and thave never pawted nor solid one of them. That story is an interesting yarn, all but the facia.

They're missing.

John was our feeding the chickens when seen Asked if he had hit the "Billy" Sunday trait, John L. replied he had been added:

MAY GO TO CAMAD.

MAX MARSTON IS

OUT OF PASTIME

New York, Dec. 22 - Max Marston has announced that because of many impor-tant business vantures in which he is interested he will be unable to compete

COWLER OUTPOINTS

GUNBOAT, 10 ROUNDS Smith 183.

CARDS WANT TWO MEN FOR SNYDER

Chicago, Dec. 26 - Word has been re-sived from St. Louis by the Chicago his that the Cardinals are holding out or two playors and a cast considera-tion for Catcher Sayder. It is said that he Cardinals want Catcher Jimmy Ar-her and Fred Mollwitz, a pitcher.

CHANCE CAN BETIRE.

Frank Chance may now retire to his stange groven. The P. L. recently asserted that it was the big show or retirement for him. Chicagoans at least have the consolation of knowing that heir former tool. like Barkis, was

A GOOD START.

RICKEY SHOULD WORKY.

BRADLEY IN BUSINESS.

WHITE DEFEATS PIERCE.

New York, Dry. 25.—Charlie White
of Chicago outboxed Harry Pierce of
Brooklyn in each round of a ten round
match in Brooklyn Monday. Pierce

igned 172 pounds and White 137. ROCQUE VALE HOUNEY COACH.

New Haven, Duc 22.—The Athletic association of Yale University has an-nounced the selection of Fred Roccus, former Cartmouth hockey coach, as couch of the Yale team this winter. IT STARTS EARLY.

Bidding for, Waiter Johnson has started early this whiter. As a rule, no offers are under until well toward the case of the Hot Stove league.

HI HN UNDER KNIFE. Has think of the Cincinnati Reds, re-cally underwart an operation for car fromble as a result of which be expects to be more efficient on the ball field.

SEATTLE SIGNS AYAU.

IN 50 MILE RACE

Los Angeles, Calif. Dec. 26.—Earl Cooper won the 50 mile match race at the about speedway here Monday, covering the distance in 11:11, an average of 67:12 miles an hour. Eddie Pullen finished one second behind Cooper.

Wilbur D. Albene, the only other entrant, lost control of his car, white passing the grandstand in the second into and crashed through a fence, overturning his car. He was alightly injured.

PIRATES ARRANGE TRAINING PLANS

SPORTOGRAPHY

combs in the old days didn't get the money at the gate—the "sitsons" dur down in their pockets. The many miner league clubs nowadays are started by men whose sole object is to try to get a little coin out of the game. What is needed is a revival of the sporting spirit, in which the game is the thing. And in the meantime, if the major leagues would pay a little morantention to encouraging and fostering baseball in the small cities and towns they would be advancing their own inbouts before.

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From Penn.'s Fast Play Lessons Learned

ment of Distances and Fast Play Causes Many Misses.

bers ranking among the first in the

which the local teams have held have been at too slow a pace."
Of course the regular games have een fast enough as far as the pace of he ponies is concerned, but the unactuationed apred has thrown the riders beingselves our a bit, with the result hat altogrether too frequent misses of he ball have occurred, which has made he same anything but a clever bit of lay.

Another point which was com-mented most invorably upon at the game last Sunday was the ciever team work of the winners, not only in passing, but in the way that each man was followed up when he was earrying the hall down the field. Not a rush was made by either team

Two Tracks Are In Conflict -:||:- -:||:- -:||:- -:||:-Devonshire Faces Erie

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 26. -With the racing season well over and thorough-

With all of the Canadian tracks With all of the canadian tracks operating, it is impossible for each of them to have two Saturdays for each of their meetings, so that some of them will have to be satisfied with one Saturday to get in the necessary number of racing days. It is likely that the

Toronto, Onl., Dec. 26.—With the racing season well over and thoroughly digested, officials of the Canadian Bacing association now have under consideration dates for 1917. While a sumber of changes in the fixtures for the coming year have been suggested, it is practically assured that the schedule for 1917 will be the same as last season.

Woodbine park will probably again open the season on May 15. The dates for the other Canadian association's tracks are generally guided by the opening at Toronto, the two tracks at Montreal following, after which comes to change to Ottawa, then back to the western Ontario courses again. The western Ontario courses again will come from Devonshire park, at Windson, the 1917 dates for which have already been announced and aboverized. Kenilworth also at Windson, has not ennounced its dates.

Ottawa Also Clashes.

These dates will conflict with racing at Fort Erie. The meeting at Ottawa will in all probability follow with all of the Canadian tracks operating. It is impossible for Ottonella, it is impossible for

O'DONNELL, ST. LOUIS CAPTAIN. St. Louis, Dec. 23.—Francis J. O'Don-nell of Grand Rapids, Mich., was elected 1917 captain of the St. Lauis Uni-versity football team Sunday. O'Don-nell played right guard.

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